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SUBJECT: US-SURINAM MILITARY RELATIONS

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1. APPRECIATE INFORMATION AND COMMENTS IN REFTEL.

2. RE PARAS 6 AND 9 REFTEL, INTERNATIONAL SECURITY ASSIST-
ANCE AND EXPORT CONTROL ACT OF 1976, ENACTED JUNE 30,
AMENDS FOREIGN ASSISTANCE ACT OF 1961 TO PROVIDE SEPARATE
AUTHORITY FOR INTERNATIONAL MILITARY EDUCATION AND
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TRAINING (IMET) PROGRAM FOR MILITARY AND RELATED CIVILIAN

PERSONNEL OF FOREIGN COUNTRIES, THEREBY REMOVING GRANT TRAINING FROM GENERAL GRANT MILITARY ASSISTANCE (MAP) AUTHORITY UNDER WHICH SUCH PROGRAMS HAVE HITHERTO BEEN CARRIED OUT. INASMUCH AS WORLDWIDE IMET PROGRAM FOR FY 1977 HAS ALREADY BEEN FORMULATED WITHIN EXECUTIVE BRANCH AND FUNDING THEREFORE HAS BEEN REQUESTED FROM THE CONGRESS, EARLIEST POSSIBLE PERIOD IN WHICH IMET PROGRAM COULD BE CONVENIENTLY ESTABLISHED FOR SURINAM WOULD BE BY 1978, ASSUMING SATISFACTION OF STATUTORY ELIGIBILITY CONDITIONS AND AUTHORIZATION AND APPROPRIATION OF FUNDS.

3. PERTINENT AGENCIES WILL BE ADDRESSING FY 1978 COUNTRY PROGRAMS FOR IMET IN SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER 1976. WE DO NOT RPT

NOT WANT TO APPEAR TO BE SOLICITING GOS REQUEST, AND CLEARLY ANY SUCH REQUEST MUST BE DISCUSSED AND CLEARED AT POLITICAL LEVELS ABOVE ELSTAK. IN ABSENCE OF ANY FORMAL GOS REQUEST IN VERY NEAR FUTURE, IMET NOT, RPT NOT, LIKELY TO BE PROGRAMMED AND SOUGHT FOR SURINAM IN FY 1978. WE SEE POLITICAL PROBLEMS IN SEEMING TO URGE ANY GRANT TRAINING ON SURINAM, AND ON BALANCE, FEEL YOU SHOULD NOT RAISE THIS MATTER AGAIN WITH TOP GOS LEADERSHIP. WOULD WELCOME YOUR COMMENTS ON THIS POINT.

4. IF SURINAM CLEARLY INTERESTED IN BEING CONSIDERED FOR IMET BEGINNING FY 1978 AND MAKES FORMAL REQUEST, SUCH REQUEST SHOULD DETAIL TO GREATEST EXTENT POSSIBLE THE TYPE OF MILITARY EDUCATION AND/OR TRAINING DESIRED, AND THIS INFORMATION CONVEYED TO STATE/DOD ASAP. IN DISCUSSION THIS MATTER OF IMET WITH GOS, YOU SHOULD BE VERY CAREFUL TO GIVE NO ASSURANCE THAT MILITARY EDUCATION/TRAINING WILL EVENTUALLY BE PROVIDED.

5. WE WOULD BE RECEPTIVE TO REQUESTS FOR TRAINING ON FMS CASH BASIS AT ANY TIME, BUT AGAIN FEEL YOU SHOULD NOT PRESS MATTER, ESPECIALLY IN ABSENCE OF CLEAR REQUEST FROM GOS LEADERS. KISSINGER

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